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Mr. POWELL,

By giving the enclosed a Place in your Paper of next Thursday, if possible (the Reason is obvious) you will oblige,
Your constant Reader,
A. B.

Then all was Jollity,
Feasting and Mirth, light Wantonness and Laughter,
Piping and Playing, Minstrelsy and Masking,
Till Life fled from us, like an idle Dream;
A Shew of Mummery without a Meaning. ROWE.

IN the Metropolis of Great-Britain, among the periodical Publications, there is one peculiar to this Season of the Year, whose supposed Author is an useful and important Officer of the Common-Wealth; for the most Part it breathes the utmost Loyalty, and includes many wholesome and economical and moral Precepts: To which may be added, that in Proportion to the Quantity contained, few Publishers get more by the most laboured Performances.

In Imitation of so worthy an Example, surely it will not be thought too aspiring if I presume to offer a few Observations, and to dispense a few Instructions, with Respect to the Celebration of the present Season of Festivity; my Precepts are calculated merely to serve domestic Purposes, to give some Cautions that Mirth may not transgress the Boundaries of Innocence, nor Feasting make Encroachments upon Health.

But to proceed regularly, according to the Pattern I have proposed to follow, it will be first necessary, to give some Testimony of my Loyalty.—May Tranquillity, Health, and long Life, attend his Majesty, and all the Royal Family.—May every Subject shew his Sense of the Happiness he enjoys by his Obedience.—May they who either at present are, or may be charged with the Administration of the Public Affairs, be no less honest than wise.—May Prudence and Vigour direct their Deliberations; and may Success accompany the Execution of their Councils.—These are my sincere Wishes, and are recommended as Toasts to enliven the circulating Glass.

My worthy Masters and Mistresses, to speak in the Style of my Original, but by whom is here to be understood, the elder Part of my Readers; I would remind, that while decent Plenty fills their Tables, and the exhilarating Cup dissipates their Cares, they forget not their less happy Neighbour, that they refuse not a pitying Ear to the humble Petitions of real Distress, nor harden their Hearts against the Feelings of Wretchedness. But above all, let them be particularly careful, that no Sort of Intemperance, find Access to the hospitable Board, lest suddenly, as my Motto expresses it,

Life flies from them like an idle Dream;

A Shew of Mummery without a Meaning.

In Descriptions of the ancient triumphal Processions we read, that in order to humble the Pride of Conquest, it was customary for the exulting Victor to be preceded by an Officer, whose Business it was, amidst the public Acclamation, to put him in Mind, that still he was but mortal.—The mighty Conqueror SALADIN, is said to have always had a Shift borne before him by Way of Humiliation, and Proclamation was frequently made, that however great, rich, or powerful, he then was, that Shift was all he could carry with him out of the World.—And, in Turkey, their haughty Emperor is daily taunted with,

This Prince,

This first of Monarchs, mighty and renowned,

Shall die, shall die, shall die.

* Some decent Memento of this Sort might, I apprehend, be usefully employed to curb the fatal Excesses of Intemperance, and to restrain the rude Overflowings of immoderate Hilarity.

The young Men and Maidens, next demand my Care: My Advice to them, is chiefly contained in recommending a careful Remembrance, and a strict Observance of the Old Proverb—*be Merry and Wise*. Let the former, as they roll forward in Pleasure's Bias, always keep in Mind, that every Offence against Good-Manners and Decency, tends to render them despicable and hateful: And that Ebriety and Lewdness, can with them their own certain and severe Punishment. As to the latter, if they either hope to get good Husbands, or make good Wives, it is wished they would never forget, that

A Virgin's Tongue should never hint a Thought,

At which a Virgin's Check would blush.

New Advertisements.

MARY KING,
MILLINER,

Has removed from Tradd Street into Queen-Street,
Nearly opposite to Mr. DANIEL CANNON'S,
And solicits a Continuance of her former FRIENDS and CUSTOMERS Favours.

She has to dispose of, for CASH or SHORT CREDIT,
A GENERAL ASSORTMENT
OF
MILLINARY GOODS.

N. B. All Sorts of Millinary made up in the newest Fashion, and on the shortest Notice.

To be peremptorily Sold to the highest Bidders,

On Thursday the 31st Instant, December,

At Three o'Clock in the Afternoon,

At HEAD & GIBALL'S Store on the Bay,

RED and white Port, Lisbon, and sweet Mountain WINES, in Casks and Bottles.

Also, Two NEGRO MEN;

A large Pair of Scales and Weights—a good Wind-Fan—a Dray and Harness.—Sundry useful Articles in a Store and Compting-House—some Chairs, and an exceeding good Clock, with an handsome Mahogany Case.

Mr. POWELL,

IN July last I gave Notice in your Gazette, that it would not suit me to GARBEL or SEAL INDICO for Exportation, but for the Gentlemen whose Names were then inserted, at Two Dollars per Hundred Weight—which Resolution I still persevere in; though I am afraid, I shall be under the disagreeable Necessity to tell them this Crop as I did the last, That neither the Quality or Price would induce me to expose a Character which had cost me near Forty Years Labour, attended with a great Expence, to establish on a good Footing; for an Error in Judgment in me, is certainly a Crime—when, in another, of less Experience, it would only be deemed an Oversight. However, when I find Indico brought to Market in a merchantable Condition, I will so far act the generous Part, to encourage the Gentlemen in my List to become considerable Purchasers, as not to take a Copper from the Planters for inspecting their Indico, provided any of the under-mentioned Gentlemen are the Purchasers:—If they are not, I shall charge Five Pounds Currency for every Hundred Weight, after it is tared and weighed, with a Certificate of its Quality, and the proper Allowances for Dump and Mixtures:—Neither do I intend this Favour to them till the Middle of January—for if by that Time they can sell their Indico without my Certificate, they naturally will not apply to me. As to the Price each Quality may obtain, it is to me of little Importance.—My Business, as Inspector-General, when called upon, is to prevent Impositions either by the Seller or Purchaser.—Had some Shippers of Indico last Crop taken the same Precaution, and not have trusted so much to their own Judgment, it would all have been sold in England by the Letters of the 7th of September; whereas near Two-Thirds remained without Purchasers.—and when the *Ochoko* Packet arrives, the Purchasers here of this Crop, will be able to judge what Price they can afford for prime Indico, and in Proportion for inferior.

MOSES LINDO,

Inspector-General of Indico.

Nov. 10, 1772.

His Honour the LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR,

The Honourable OTHNIEL BEALE, Esq;

WILLIAM MIDDLETON, sen. Esq;

HENRY MIDDLETON, Esq;

WILLIAM WRAGG, Esq;

THOMAS LYNCH, Esq;

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THOMAS-LOUGHTON SMITH, Esq;

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Mr. JOHN NEUFVILLE,

JOSEPH KERSHAW, Esq;

Messrs. DEWAR & BACOT,

Mr. GEORGE-ABBOT HALL,

THOMAS SAVAGE, Esq;

Mr. SAMUEL LEGARE,

Mr. JOHN WAGNER,

HENRY RUGELLY, Esq;

Mr. JOHN CHAMPNEYS,

Captain EDWARD BLAKE,

Messrs. COGDEL & HUGER.

N. B. For Reasons best known to himself, he will not purchase a Pound of Indico for any other Person but those inserted in the above List, he having already the Quantity, he chuses to undertake this Crop, to garbel and seal for Exportation.

To be SOLD,
On TUESDAY the 5th of JANUARY next,
TWENTY-FIVE

Prime, young, healthy
SLAVES;

THE Choice of a Cargo imported at
St. Christopher's, and just arrived from
that Island, in the Ship PROVIDENCE, Captain RAMSAY, by
DAVID & JOHN DEAS.

Charles-Town, Dec. 22, 1772.

JOHN MICHAEL,

Brass Founder and Copper-Smith,

Takes this Method to acquaint his Friends and the Public,
THAT HE HAS FOR SALE,

A Quantity of Brass Dogs, Tongs, and
Shovels, of different Patterns; which he will dispose of
as CHEAP as any that are imported, at his Shop in Meeting-
Street, near the State-House; where he carries on the BRASS-
FOUNDRY, COPPER-SMITH, and PLUMBING BUSINESS, in
all its Branches.—He will undertake to execute any Work in
the above Branches, as cheap as can be imported.

N. B. He will give the most Money for old Copper, Brass,
and Lead; likewise 1s. 6d. per Pound for old Pewter.

To be LET,

The First of January next,

The CELLAR under the EXCHANGE,

Which is now in the Occupation of JOHN WARD, Esq;—
For further Particulars enquire at the TREASURY-OFFICE.

LOS T,

On WEDNESDAY the 9th of DECEMBER,

A black Leather POCKET-BOOK,

In which were a Twenty Pound Bill, two of Ten, a Pistole,
some other Money, and a Gold Ring.—In the Inside of it was
wrote, GEORGE WILSON, Groom to the Honourable JOHN
DRAYTON, Esq; at Drayton-Hall, November 16, 1767.—
Whoever has found it, and will bring it, and the Contents, to
the Printing-Office on the Bay, near the Exchange, shall receive
a GUINEA Reward.

Hawkins, Petrie, & Co.

Have just received by the BRITANNIA, Captain BALL, and
the LONDON, Captain CURRING, from LONDON,

The following GOODS, viz.

A Large Value in plain, shot, striped,
clouded, figured and brocaded Luttrings, Mantuas and
Ducapes; plain and flowered white Ditto, black Crow-coloured,
and grey changeable Ditto; brown, blue, green and crimson
Silk Damasks; white, blue, purple and Pink corded Padufoy;
plain and figured Modes, Peelongas, and Satins of all Colours;
a Variety of plain, striped and flowered Mullins, 3s, 5s, 5-4,
and 6 4 Book Ditto, some of each very fine; worked Lawn
Aprons, Ruffles and Handkerchiefs, of all Prices; French
Trimnings, Chancel, black, Blond and Thread Laces and Edg-
ings, droll Caps, Egrets, &c. chiefly for young Ladies wear
Gold and Silver Threads, Pearls and Spangles.

A very neat Assortment of Ribands and Collars,
of the newest Fashion.

A fresh Supply of Irish Linens, white-Russia
Linens, printed Calicoes, Cottons, and Furniture Ditto, with
Trimnings; Winter Hosiery, Bombazines, fine and coarse
Cutlery, &c. a few Bath Stoves, and handsome japanned Tea
Tables, Cuirants, Rairins, and Almonds; and a general As-
sortment of Family Medicines.

A few Hogheads and Quarter Casks of good
Jamaica Rum, to be sold cheap.

Besides the Ribands above-mentioned, they have
a Consignment of Five Hundred Pounds Sterling Value, in that
Article, to be sold by the Quantity, at Eight for One, on the
Maker's Cost, and at Seven and a Half for One, if the Amount
of One Hundred Pounds Sterling is taken; which is much
cheaper than the general Price in London.

WE having been very often told, that it is
reported, and generally believed, that we will not supply any
Person whatever on the usual Terms of ANNUAL PAYMENTS,
think it necessary to declare, that the Report is not true;—that
we never refused any of good Circumstances, and that we shall
gladly supply such on the lowest Terms, which it is in our
Power to do, as we have our Goods directly from the Trade-
men, and keep one of the largest Assortments in the Province.

Hawkins, Petrie, & Co.

THE Subscribers give Notice, to

those that are indebted to them, that unless their
pective Debts are discharged by the FIRST DAY of JANUARY
next, they will be obliged to sue them, without further No-
tice being necessary that their Affairs be brought to a Settlement.

Thomas-Loughton & Roger Smith.

High Proof Jamaica RUM.

Of a fine Flavour, and fit for immediate Use.

WEST-INDIA Ditto; Mus-
covado Sugar; Coffee in small Casks; Madera and
Vidonia WINE, in Pipes, Half, and Quarter Pipes, or by
the Dozen Bottles; Bridport Canvas, from No. 1 to 6, and
some very good Malmsey Wine, in any Quantity, not less than
three Gallons, to be sold reasonably, by

Robert, John & J. Smyth.

A MASTER will be wanted to take
Charge of the FREE-SCHOOL at BEESFORD'S
BOUNTY, in the Parish of St. THOMAS & St. DENNIS, about
the Middle of March next.—Any Person properly qualified to
teach READING, WRITING, and ARITHMETIC, and to board
Children, and produce sufficient Testimonials of his former
good Behaviour, Sobriety, and Diligence, may apply to the
Vestry of the said Parish for further Particulars, or to
December 16, 1772. ALEXANDER GARDEN.

To be SOLD,

And may be entered upon the FIRST DAY of JANUARY next,
A valuable TRACT of LAND

In Prince WILLIAM'S Parish,

Containing Three Thousand Acres, of which there is thought
to be Twelve Hundred Acres of Swamp, and capable of being
made into Four good Rice Plantations; joining Lands of Mr.
Drayton, Mr. Brailsford, and Mr. Fuller, and is six Miles from
the Landing, Pocotaligo Bridge. On the above Tract are, an
Overseer's House, Barn, Corn House, and other necessary
Buildings.—There is also a fine Stock of CATTLE, &c.
which will be sold.

Likewise to be SOLD,

And may be entered upon immediately,

A PLANTATION,

In the Parish of St. James, Goose-Creek, lately belonging
to BENJAMIN HUGER, Esquire,

Containing Nine Hundred Acres, more or less: On the Pre-
mises are, an exceeding good Brick Dwelling-House, a good
Barn, and Corn-House, with an Overseer's House, Dairy, Kit-
chen, Wash-House, Coach-House, and Stables; all new, and
as complete as most in the Province; and a large Garden and
Orchard, very well laid out, and lately pailed in.

There is some genteel HOUSEHOLD-FURNITURE,
which, together with the Stock of CATTLE, and CROP upon
the Ground, will be sold with the PLANTATION, if the Buyer
chooses them.

The above Lands, &c. are the Property of Dr. THOMAS
CAW, who was obliged to leave the Province on Account of
his bad State of Health.

The Terms of Sale may be known, and the Titles to the
Lands seen, by applying to

ROBERT PHILP, his Attorney.

N. B. CREDIT will be given, upon good Security, and
paying the Interest regularly once a Year.

THE following letter gives the most particular account that has appeared of the proceedings and conclusion of the late conference for a peace at Focznay, between the Russians and Turks.

"When the congress of Focznay was opened, Count Orlov, on his first arrival, was preceded by four hussars, and followed by four coaches, occupied by the Sieur Obrenkoff, and the other gentlemen of the embassy, and one hundred and sixty domesticks. The Ottoman Ministers were on horseback, and had no more than sixty servants attending them. The Plenipotentiaries of both nations being present, each on their side, the hall for the congress was opened. The Russian Ambassador was most superbly dressed, having on his breast the portrait of the Empress, together with the different emblems of the orders with which he is invested; his furcoat, buckles, &c. was set with diamonds; Osman Effendi, according to the Ottoman simplicity, was clothed with a robe of green camblet, faced with ermine, and had nothing to distinguish him but a cane, the head of which was of gold, garnished with diamonds. Both the Ambassadors were unarmed, but the Sieur Obrenkoff and the other Russians had swords. Count Orlov made Osman Effendi an offer of an honorary guard; but he declined it, saying, he did not make it a point to be attended with sabres and bayonets; in consequence of which refusal, he had only centinels placed before his apartment. After reciprocal salutes, they each took possession of the side of the table allotted. Count Orlov then read a paper, the purport of which was, that the Empress his mistress, for the sake of humanity, sincerely wished an end to the war; to which the Turkish Ambassador declared, his master was not less impressed with the desire of peace. After this, an exchange was made of the full powers to treat, written in letters of gold, on parchment: That of the Turks contained the signature of the Grand Signior, which was of a triangular form, about an ell in length. After this exchange, the attendants all retired, and were no more admitted. When the secretaries were placed in their stations, Count Orlov opened the conference, and said, That as the Empress had not begun the war, she expected to have the expenses defrayed to which she had been put in carrying it on; and as the Crimea had occasioned frequent ruptures between the two powers, that the country should be declared free and independent. To this Osman Effendi answered, that his Highness was disposed to consent to all reasonable conditions: That as to the first article, the foreign ministers were previously to examine which party was the first aggressor; and with regard to the Crimea, the Porte was fixed never to listen to it. After many conferences, the Plenipotentiaries not agreeing about the independency of the Crimea, they broke up, notwithstanding all the good offices of the ministers of the mediating powers, and each party prepared to retire. As the Armistice has not been prolonged farther than to the 21st instant, the war will immediately be carried on with fresh vigour."

ITALY, September 12. The marching of several regiments to the estates of the house of Austria in Italy, the activity with which they continue working at the fortress of Milan, the motion of the commissaries of war, and, in short, the different things purchased for the soldiery at the last fair of Bergance, such as cloth for their uniforms, sabres, swords, hatchets, &c. give room for many conjectures, which time alone will clear up.

FROM THE VISTULA, Sept. 23. The Prussians took possession the 13th of all the countries which they declared they would take by the manifesto they published that day, and extended themselves farther into Poland. There were only a few muskets fired at Elbing, by which three or four persons were killed or wounded. The whole ceremony consisted in taking down the Polish white eagles, and fixing in their room the Prussian black eagles in the several districts, and likewise in fixing up the patent of the 13th instant, and afterwards in sealing up the archives of the towns and communities. The King's patent exempts the towns of Dantzick and Thorn from being entered by the Prussian troops, but they are posted within a very small distance of the gates. The Prussians have likewise planted officers near those towns, who demand an excise on all goods that are carried thither, amounting to double what is paid in the dominions of his Prussian Majesty. The town of Dantzick had likewise a considerable revenue from their posts, but the Prussians have taken all these into their own hands.

WARSAW (Poland) Sept. 25. Advices from Cracow inform us, that the field battalions of the Austrians are returning from Moravia; and if we may conjecture from these movements, the execution of some enterprise seems at hand. The garison regiments of the same nation wait only the arrival of some Croats to put themselves also into march.

BRANDESBURG (Germany) Sept. 27. His Serene Highness Prince Ferdinand of Brunswick paid a visit to the Queen of Prussia (his sister) at Berlin; and had an interview with the King at Potsdam. We now learn, that the King has nominated him Viceroy of the two Prussias, with 25,000 crowns appointment; and has ordered the arrearsages of all his pensions (the Provostship of the dome of Magdebourg excepted) to be paid him for ten years past, being the time since that Prince resigned his employments.

LOWER-ELBE, Oct. 2. All officers and soldiers in the Danish service, now absent upon furlow, or leave of absence, are ordered to join their respective regiments immediately; and the troops of the same nation, distributed in the Danish Holstein, have been commanded to hold themselves in readiness to march.

A report is spread that the court of Copenhagen is seeking to form a loan 4000,000 of marks; and that a body of Danish troops is to assemble immediately near Segeberg in Danish Holstein.

LONDON, OCTOBER 9.

A correspondent remarks, that it is pleasant to hear the Halifax party demanded a scrutiny, under a pretence of bad votes; that ministerial tools would have us believe, that those who voted away the liberties of the city, and sold their birth-right for a little paltry gold, or the airy promise of the tool of a minister's tool's tool, were all good votes, and those who listen from distant parts to the great city at their own expense, to preserve the freedom of their fellow-citizens, ought, one and all, to be deemed bad votes; and were the sheriffs to observe the directions of these reasonable men, Halifax's votes would be all good, and Wilkes's rejected as all bad.

The old language is reviving at court, and the very polite friends of the minister, in speaking of the present choice of Mayor, talk of Mr. Wilkes's majority by the elegant appellation of the rabble, the riffraff, shot or rot, mob of the city, the flum of the earth, and the half-born dogs of the people. Surely, if these courtiers are to be called friends to their King and country, a foreigner would say, I would rather live in *face* Russia, than in *Republica* Caesari.

The friends of Mr. Wilkes give out, that the ministry are mistaken in supposing that his mayoralty will be employed in seducing disorder and popular disturbance; they will find that he means only to pay an implicit obedience to the laws of the land himself, and to take care, as far as shall fall within his power, that no man, or set of men, however great, shall transgress them.

This day the adjournment of the common hall for the election of Lord Mayor, the Sheriffs again called up and declared the

numbers on the poll; upon which a scrutiny was demanded by each of the four candidates against the other three, which is to commence on the 24th instant.

As the scrutiny may likely be the topic of conversation and debate for some time, we hope the following extract from *Mildmay's* elections will not be disagreeable to our readers.

"Within six days after the poll, the sheriffs must deliver true copies of the poll to the candidates. The scrutiny must be proceeded upon within ten days after the delivery of the list, to which day the common hall must be adjourned, and must be finished within fifteen days, Sundays excepted. The sheriffs must make the declaration within four days after the scrutiny is finished."

So the declaration will be made on the 18th of November, unless any reference should be made to the court of King's-bench.

If three voters only, fetched from Windsor, cost Alderman Halifax above Three hundred pounds, as mentioned in one of this morning's papers, a correspondent desires to know, how much the whole number polled may be supposed to have cost him?

The effects of chagrin and disappointment, in protracting the countenance, are very remarkable. During the poll on Monday last, Mr. Halifax's chin was observed visibly to lengthen several inches; but on Tuesday the size of it was so very immoderate, that in order to hide it, he was obliged to keep every moment stroking it with his hand, which, it is said, has reduced his beard to such a degree, that he is not expected to have a single hair growing upon it for at least this twelvemonth.

Miss Wilkes, who is to act the part of Lady Mavereft at the ensuing Lord Mayor's day, is one of the most accomplished young ladies in Europe; besides her fine breeding, she understands six languages, viz. English, Latin, German, French, Spanish, and Italian.

An estimate is preparing by an able hand of the sea and land forces of England, France, and Spain, which, when finished, is to be made public for the good of the community.

The unaccountable blindness which lately seized the people of Barini, near Naples, loses surprise, when it is remembered, that near twenty millions of persons in India are both blind and deaf, or they had not been reduced to their present dependant state.

OCTOBER 10.

There is so much business at St. James's, that his Majesty lay in town on Wednesday night, contrary to his usual custom for some months; and, we hear, that till past twelve he was in close conference with different ministers.

The council on Wednesday at St. James's lasted four hours, and messengers were dispatched several times for state papers from various places.

The Lord Mayor yesterday morning issued out his precepts to the clerks of the several livery companies, to deliver in next Monday, upon oath, a true list of the livery, with the time of their admission.

The clerks who took the poll at Guildhall, are making out from their books an alphabetical list of those that polled, mentioning what company each voter belonged to, for the sheriffs to deliver to the scrutineers, that they may compare it with the companies lists, which are to be delivered to the Lord Mayor.

It is now generally credited that the Duke of Grafton will resign the office of privy seal as soon as a proper person is fixed upon to succeed him.

Even bets were laid this morning at Change, that the present scrutiny for Lord Mayor terminated in the court of King's-bench.

OCTOBER 12.

It is a fact, that several public societies have already sent handsome subscriptions to the committee at the Paul's head, towards defraying the expence of the scrutiny, which the patriotic party are determined to go through with the utmost vigour.

We hear that the Rev. Dr. Wilson has subscribed one hundred pounds towards the expence of the scrutiny.

On Michaelmas day, 1682, at the election of a Mayor, Sir William Pritchard, who was the senior Alderman below the chair, being, according to ancient custom, put up, was (by the party in opposition to the court) opposed, and Sir Thomas Gould and Henry Cornish (who had been Sheriffs but the year before) put up against him; the poll fell upon Gould and Cornish, and on scrutiny, appeared many false votes on both sides, but the election fell on Pritchard: These proceedings moved the King to bring a *quo warranto* against their charter; and in Trinity term following, the court of King's Bench declared, That the liberties and franchises of the city of London be seized into the King's hands, and gave him a pretence to appoint the Magistrates, which he did all the rest of his reign.

OCTOBER 13.

On Sunday an express arrived from Petersburg, and we hear, brings a confirmation of a revolution which lately happened there, and the deposing the Empress. It is further said, it was brought about by the French, who were jealous of her growing greatness, and saw that she was no friend to their interest, but shewed the greatest regard to the English.

Extract of a letter from Hambro, October 5. "It gives me great concern that I am obliged to acquaint you that Messrs. — have this morning stopt payment, and I am afraid their affairs are in so bad a situation, that they will not be able to make up matters so as to go on again. I hope your connections with them are not great; for it is said that they have failed for near two hundred thousand pounds."

Extract of a letter from Copenhagen, October 6.

"All our advices from the North have a warlike appearance. At Hamburg, Altona, in the Holstein, at Dantzick and Bremen are Russian, Austrian, Danish, Swedish, and Prussian officers raising recruits, and as trade is dead, and provisions scarce, they meet with great success. In Denmark and Sweden, as well as in Russia, they are fitting out ships with the utmost expedition; the Dutchy of Holstein is very likely to be attacked by Russia, and Norway by Sweden, and his Prussian Majesty will probably not be idle on this occasion. In short, some politicians think there will be a general war in Europe. The accounts we received by the last post are, that the courts of Russia, Berlin, and Sweden have made an alliance; Sweden makes pretensions to Finland, and Prussia to Pomerania; but Prussia is to pay four millions of roubles to Russia."

OCTOBER 14.

By letters from a sister-kingdom we are informed that the people are now in high spirits; the late appointment of Lord Harcourt to the Viceroyship, promising them at least a change, which, in certain circumstances, is often considered as an amendment in public affairs.

A King of England will never be able to maintain the balance of Europe, if he knows not how to hold the balance of his own kingdom; his reputation abroad will rise or sink, as his affairs go well or ill at home.

A King that governs by parties, is like a philosopher that grows wise by starts and fits, and broken francies. Governing by parties may keep a Prince above water for a little while, but will sink him at last.

A steady conduct is the great art of governing a free people; whereas the chopping and changing of measures and ministers keeps them always in a ferment. Lord Bute discarded Mr. Legge with much pride, and in the spirit of revenge, for daring

to oppose him in an election. He caused Mr. Pitt to resign his post in order to succeed him. He was so unable to supply the place of that great minister, that he was soon obliged to resign what his ambition had so long coveted. By this ridiculous chopping and changing he rendered himself unhappy and his matter unpopular.

The King of England should cause his coronation oath to be written in golden capitals in his closet, as the ten commandments are in his chapel; the observation of the first being as necessary to his Highness in this world, as the keeping of the other for his felicity hereafter.

The words *Whig* and *Tory* were revived lately by a proud impetuous Scotoman, who had neither head nor heart to be a great minister, though that was his great aim; but after all, what have tho' two words signified (these seventy years) but a man who makes a great stir to get into a good place?

A Prince who has the heart of his subjects has no occasion either for a standing army or a bribed parliament; for whoever commands the affections of his subjects is master of their purses.

The circumstance of the scrutiny has, it is said, given great disgust to all the sensible and reflecting part of the Livery, inasmuch that there is the greatest reason in the world to believe that if there was to be a new poll, Mr. Wilkes would have ten votes where he now has but one.

If the scrutiny should confirm Mr. Wilkes's majority, it is now said to be concluded that the Chancellor is to reject him.

A correspondent informs us, that since the scrutiny has been demanded, several gentlemen have heartily joined Mr. Wilkes, who were only luke-warm before.

It is said that a scrutiny was demanded by Alderman Halifax, &c. only to be satisfied who were the persons that so strenuously supported Alderman Wilkes.

We hear the noted Ben Kenton gave last Tuesday a turtle at his late house, the Crown and Magpie, in Whitechapel, to his right honourable friend Mr. Alderman Harley, his common council, and a number of the inhabitants of Portoken ward, in order to celebrate the signal victory expected to have been obtained on that memorable day by the Alderman Halifax and Shakespeare over the friends of true constitutional liberty: But, O grief of griefs! it proved a very melancholy regale, and cheerless foggy Port delineated the rueful but true situation of the minds of all the company present.

It is generally believed there is no foundation in the report of a late revolution at the court of Russia.

New Advertisements.

JUST IMPORTED,

In the Ship *GEORGE*, from LEITH, and to be SOLD, By ALEXANDER ALEXANDER, At a Store on Mr. BURN'S New Wharf, viz.

LARGE Scots COALS;—Claret, in Bonum Magnums and Quart Bottles;—Red PORT WINE, Peniac, SCOTS ALE, PORTER;—checked Linens, striped Holland, fine Dimities, Carpets and Carpeting;—Stone Ware, consisting of Plates, Dishes, Basins, &c.—BARLEY, fine and coarse;—Negro Shoes;—Fire Grates;—a covered Chaise, Saddles, Bridles, &c. &c.

THOMAS DODMAN, or DED-

MAN, born at Medenham, in Buckinghamshire, who was taken from thence when young, by his Uncle GEORGE AUSTIN, Keeper of Christ Church College, Oxford, and put Apprentice to one GARDENER, a Taylor there; enlisted in a Company of Marines about the Year 1744, and the Ship failed for Cape-Fear soon after; having some Dispute with an Officer there, got wounded, and was left with a Doctor at Wilmington to be cured.—If the said DODMAN, or DEDMAN be living, he is desired to apply to Messrs. DANIEL & ISAAC BOURDEAUX, Merchants, in Charles-Town, and he will hear of something greatly to his Advantage; and whoever can prove that he is dead, is requested to do the same, which will be thankfully acknowledged, and all Expenses paid.

To be H I R E D out, A healthy young WENCH,

With a good Breast of Milk.—Enquire at the Printing-Office on the Bay, near the Exchange.

To be S O L D, A sensible tractable FELLOW,

Who is a good Boatman, but would chauce to be employed about Town.—Enquire at the Printing-Office on the Bay, near the Exchange.

FOUND, by a NEGRO,

On THURSDAY the 17th of DECEMBER,

A Silver STRAINER and LADLE.

The Owner may have them restored, by describing them, giving a small Gratuity to the Finder, and paying for this Advertisement. Enquire at the Printing-Office on the Bay, near the Exchange.

ONE HUNDRED POUNDS Reward.

S T O L E N,

From the MARKET Wharf, on FRIDAY Night last,

A dark bay GELDING,

Rising five Years old, his near hind Foot white, and about fourteen Hands high, branded on the mounting Shoulder GL; has a large Scar on his near Buttock, and a few grey Hairs in his Forehead.—Whoever will deliver the said Gelding to the Subscriber, in Charles-Town, shall receive FOUR DOLLARS Reward; but if stolen by a white Person, a Reward of ONE HUNDRED POUNDS will be paid, on Conviction of the Offender, and if by a Negro, TWENTY POUNDS.

December 23, 1772. WILLIAM LIVINGSTON.

R U N A W A Y,

About the Middle of NOVEMBER last, from the Subscriber's Plantation, on SANTEE,

A short likely NEGRO FELLOW,

Named DAVY, about five Feet five Inches high, and Twenty-five Years of Age; He can work a little at the Carpenter's Trade, has a large Bump on his right Leg, which has been broke.—He had on when he went away a black Cloth Jacket, and white Russia Drab Breeches.—Whoever will deliver him to the Warden of the Work-House in Charles-Town, or to the Subscriber, at his Plantation on Santee, shall receive FIVE POUNDS Reward, and all reasonable Charges, from ISAAC LE GRANT.

FROM St. Vincent's we learn, that the Operations against the Black Charraibs of that Island, were not yet begun about a Month ago, and the Season was very sickly: That His Majesty's Forces there, consisted of a Part of four Regiments, who, with 600 Negro Pioneers, were constantly employed in cutting and making Roads, to get at the Enemy with more Facility: That the Charraibs (about 1600 in Number) who are the Natives, original Proprietors, and had settled the best Lands in the Island, were inclined to be peaceable, and willing to be considered as His Majesty's Subjects, provided those Lands should not be wrested from them; but that, as it seemed to be determined to get their Lands, though at the Expence of much Blood, so it seemed determined, by the Charraibs, to defend themselves, and to annoy the English as much as possible; for which End, they were continually carrying their Tobacco and other Produce to Martinique to procure Arms and Ammunition.

In our last, was an Account of the Tobacco imported into Clyde, from North-Carolina, during the last six Years. We now present our Readers, with a View of the Progress the Inhabitants of this Province are also making in that valuable Staple. Before the Year 1765, we do not find any exported, and in that Year only 240lb.

	Hogheads.	Tierces.	Barrels.
In 1766, only	—	—	—
1767,	—	—	—
1768,	—	—	—
1769,	—	368	12
1770,	—	348	—
1771,	—	447	—
1772,	—	710	18
Total,	1247	5	31

Upwards of 15,500 Tierces of new Rice, are already cleared for Exportation, and near 200,000 lb. of Indigo; near 73,000 lb. of the latter is on board the Ship Heart-of-Oak, Capt. Gunn, and near 8000 lb. on board the Mermaid, Capt. Ball, both for London.

The Prices of Rice and Indigo are now fluctuating—the last Rice was sold at 52. 6d. per 100lb.—and Indigo seems to be falling—Indian Corn sells at 17. 6d. per Bushel.

Extract of a Letter, dated New-York, November 7, 1772.

“Our Religious Broils are subsiding—Cooper's unsuccessful Voyage has damped the Spirit of Bigotry, and the Zealots for Prelacy are as silent as the Grave. Heaven, ever propitious to the Liberties of this Country, has confounded their Devices—The very Scheme was subverted, for the very Reason by which the American Conclave hoped to give it Success. The Bishops are averse to the Resurrection of the primitive Meanness of the Orders, and were fearful that the Light of Philosophy, which is such an Enemy to sacerdotal Pride, and so congenial to unadulterated Christianity, would excite the Parent Country to wish for such an Episcopate as must be set up, at least for a While, in America. Besides, be assured, that the Maxims of the present Administration, are to let us alone, and to shun every Rock upon which Ministers have been ship-wrecked from the Year 1765. If we have Peace for Twenty Years, we shall have nothing afterwards to fear, for by that Time the internal Power of this Country must be humoured, and in the Interval, we have for the Preservation both of civil and religious Liberty, only to take Care of our Schools. Witherpoon never relaxes a Moment, and that College under his Care grows into the highest Reputation.”

The following is a List of the Gentlemen elected on the 15th and 16th Instant, to represent the Inhabitants of the County Parishes in this Province, in General Assembly, viz.

John Rutledge, and Arnoldus Vanderhorst, Esquires, for CHRIST-CHURCH.

William Moultrie, Edward Harleston, and James Cordes, jun. Esquires, for St. JOHN'S, Berkeley County.

Thomas Bee, William Scott, and William Cattell, Esquires, for St. ANDREW'S.

David Oliphant, and Benjamin Waring, Esquires, for St. GEORGE'S, Dorchester.

Peter Manigault, John Wigfall, and James Akin, Esquires, for St. THOMAS and St. DENNIS'S.

Thomas Ferguson, Benjamin Elliott, and George Haig, Esquires, for St. PAUL'S.

Paul Douxfaint, and Thomas Horry, Esquires, for St. JAMES'S, Santee.

Thomas Lynch, and Elias Horry, Esquires, for PRINCE-GEORGE, Winyab.

Charles-Coteworth Pinckney, William Gibbs, and Thomas Ladson, Esquires, for St. JOHN'S, Colleton County.

Uzac Motte, and Godin Guerard, Esquires, for PRINCE-WILLIAM'S.

Tacitus Gaillard, Esquire, for St. MATHEW'S.

The Lists from the remaining Parishes are not yet received.

Last Thursday the Honourable Charles-Martheu Cosslett, one of His Majesty's Assistant-Judges for this Province, was married to Miss Ann Grimke, youngest Daughter of Mr. John Paul Grimke, Jeweller, lately retired from Business.

On Saturday last died, Mr. William Ellis, aged 46 Years, formerly a Merchant of this Town, and has left a large Fortune.

The same Day arrived the Pennsylvania Farmer, Captain Robeson, from Belfast; Sunday the Lord Dunluce, Captain Gillies, from Larne; on Tuesday the Hopewell, Capt. Martin, from Belfast, and the Freemason, Capt. Saville, from Larne; all with Irish Passengers, above 1000 Souls.

Last Sunday Mr. John Dart, jun. Attorney at Law, was married to Miss Henrietta Sommers, Daughter of Humphry Sommers, Esq.

The same Day returned, in the Brig. Jenny, from Glasgow, Mrs. Brisbane, Widow, and the Family of William Brisbane, Esq; and Mrs. Catharine Elliott. Also, in the George, from Leith, Mrs. Bell, Sister to the Hon. Justice Murray. Many other Passengers, from Scotland, came in the said Vessels, and in the Lillies, from Burrowdowns.

The same Day arrived here, in the Providence, Mr. Ulysses Lynch, of St. Kitts.

On Monday last Thomas-Loughton Smith, Esq; and Mrs. Smith, returned, by Land, from the Northern Colonies.

The same Day arrived Mon. de St. Pierre, from London, last from Madera, with upwards of 100 Passengers, Vignerons and others, for the Settlement of New-Bourdeaux in this Province.

The Sandwich Packet-Boat, commanded by Capt. William Jenking, arrived here Yesterday, in nine Weeks and three Days from Falmouth; by which we have Advice of the Death of Dr. Thomas Caw; and a Confirmation of His Majesty's having been pleased to confer the Dignity of a Baronet of Great-Britain, upon the Hon. Egerton Leigh, Attorney-General of and now in this Province.

Yesterday returned, in the Britannia, Capt. Peter, from Philadelphia, Mr. William Carfan, Mrs. Carfan, Mrs. Gibbs, the Wife of Robert Gibbs, Esq; and Son, Mr. William Ladson, Mr. William Matthews, and William Bull, Esq.—In the same Ship arrived Mr. Samuel Fisher, Merchant, of Philadelphia, and a Mr. Bates, a celebrated Performer of Feats in Horsemanship.

Accidents frequently happen to Carriages, and many Passengers

have had their Limbs broke, from the common Practice of beating Skins in the Streets and on the Bay—'tis therefore hoped it will be discontinued.

The St. Augustine Packet, Regan, from this Port for London, was spoke with 60 Leagues to the Eastward, three Days after sailing from hence, all well on board.

“The *Beaufain* will positively be ready to sail by the First of next Month; therefore, the Indico Shippers, are requested to send their Quantity on board as quick as possible.

“Several NEW ADVERTISEMENTS, and others, left out this Week for Want of Room, shall be in our next.

Timothy's Marine List.

Dec.	Arrivals at Charles-Town.	From
18th.	Brigt. Jenny, James Morriss,	Antigua
19th.	Ship Pennsylvania Farmer, Charles Robeson,	Belfast
	Brigt. Hopewell, William Bound,	Poole
	Scooner Dolphin, Thomas Bowditch,	Salem
20th.	Ship Lord Dunluce, James Gillies,	Larne
	Ship Molly, David Staret,	Havre-de-Grace
	Ship Providence, James Ramsay,	St. Kitts
	Ship George, Alexander Alexander,	Leith
	Brigt. Betty, Robert Orr,	Morlaix
	Brigt. Jenny, Robert Eson,	Glasgow
	Scooner Patty, John Grove,	Georgia
	Sloop Porgy, Jeremiah Bassett,	St. Kitts
21st.	Ship Sincere Friend, Robert King,	Madera
	Snow Kingston, Richard Burcham,	London
	Sloop Betty, James Muir,	Bourdeaux
	Scooner Little Peggy, Jeremiah Smith,	Providence
	Scooner Savannah Packet, John Turner,	Georgia
22d.	Ship Hopewell, John Martin,	Belfast
	Brigt. Freemason, John Semple,	Newry
	Sloop Harriot, Samuel Dickinson,	Dominica
23d.	Ship Britannia, James Peter,	Philadelphia
	Ship George & James, Robert Service,	Bristol
	Snow Sandwich (Packet) C. William Jenking,	Falmouth
	Brigt. William, Thomas Robson,	Boston

Dec.	Sailed.	For
19th.	Brigt. Charming Betty, Duncan McNeill,	Dominica
	Scooner Eliza, John Foster,	Antigua
	Sloop Liberty, John Beck,	St. Kitts
20th.	Scooner Hannah, Oliver Hull,	Providence

Remain unbound or cleared.	For
Ship Carolina Packet, William White,	London
Ship Britannia, Samuel Ball, jun.	Cowes
Ship Mermaid, Samuel Ball,	London
Ship Heart-of-Oak, Henry Gunn,	London
Ship Queen, John Harrison,	Cowes
Ship Ann, Patrick Miller,	Cowes
Ship Two-Brothers, Hugh Glen,	Liverpool
Snow Mary & James, John Workman,	New-York
Snow Elzer, Robert Dann,	St. Croix
Brigt. Charlotte, Valentine Baker,	Oporto
Brigt. Townshend, John Gobbett,	Cowes
Brigt. Union, Edward North,	Barbados
Scooner Little Peggy, Jeremiah Smith,	Providence
Scooner Fancy, Benjamin Barton,	Grenada
Sloop Free love & Mary, Francis Bradfield,	North-Carolina
Sloop Robert, Joseph Vesley,	St. Eustatius
Sloop Lark, Benjamin Newbold,	Barbados
Sloop James, William Grubb,	St. Croix

“Near loaded, or may sail betwixt this and our next.

Ship	For
Ship Hector, William Lewellin,	Bristol
Ship Pallas, James Bailey,	London
Ship Amelia, Charles Le Maistre,	Cowes
Brigt. Prince of Wales, William Moore,	Philadelphia
Scooner Savannah Packet, John Turner,	Georgia

Entered our business the above.	For
Ship Beaufain, Samuel Purchas,	London
Ship London, Alexander Curling,	London
Ship Newmarket, Gilbert Wilton,	London
Ship Carolina, Benjamin Loxley,	London
Ship Nelly, Robert McLarty,	Cowes
Ship Molly, David Staret,	Lisbon
Snow Kingston, Richard Burcham,	Oporto
Snow Peggy, Alexander Hardie,	Jamaica
Brigt. Peggy, John Lawrence,	Cowes
Brigt. Betty, Robert Orr,	Lisbon
Brigt. Hopewell, William Bound,	Oporto
Brigt. Betty, Abraham Woodside,	Cowes
Scooner Adventure, Clement Conyers,	Antigua
Scooner Wifmenog, Darham Duncomb,	Antigua
Sloop Joanna, Edward Hopper,	New-York
Sloop Harriot, Samuel Dickinson,	Barbados
Sloop Porgy, Jeremiah Bassett,	St. Kitts

Other Vessels in Port.	For
His Maj. Ship Gibraltar, Sir Tho. Rich. Com.	Bahama's
His Majesty's Sloop Savage, Capt. Bromage,	Lisbon
Ship Lillies, Hercules Angus,	London
Snow Providence, Abraham Masun,	Grenada
Snow Charming Polly, Robert Morfon,	Jamaica
Brigt. Diligence (Packet) Capt. Henry Ogilvie,	London
Brigt. Hanover-Plante, William McCulloch,	Barbados
Brigt. Betty Hendy, John Dow,	Jamaica
Scooner Comet (Packet) C. Terence McDonough,	Jamaica
Scooner Polly, Alexander Gillies,	Jamaica
Scooner Tobago Packet, Isaac Fordyce,	
Scooner Little Thomas, Michael Haywood,	
Scooner Betty, John Young,	
Sloop Montego-Bay,	
Sloop Balmer,	

Arrivals from this Port.	From
Ship Friendship, James Cumming,	London
Ship Carolina, Miles Lowley,	London
Ship Montagu, William Pickles,	London
Snow New-Britannia, Stephen Drane,	London

New Advertisements.

To be SOLD,
A TRACT of LAND at the Round O, on a Swamp called RED-OAK SWAMP, containing 253 Acres; One Hundred of which is good Rice Land, and about 158 Acres of Corn and Indico Land; on which are, a good Dwelling-House, Barn, Kitchen, Stables, &c.—Whoever is inclinable to purchase the above Tract, may apply to Mr. GEORGE BROWN, or ROBERT BROWN.

Dr. Keyser's genuine PILLS,
Are sold at the Printing-Office near the Exchange.

ANN GRAY,

Having removed to Town, into the House lately possessed by Mr. Paul Porcher, in Ansonborough, Acquaints her Friends in Town and Country.

THAT the purposes keeping a BOARDING and DAY SCHOOL, and will be extremely obliged to those who will entrust her with their young Daughters, as no Pains shall be spared in instructing them in every Thing necessary, and on moderate Terms.

THE ANNIVERSARY MEETING
of the CHARLES-TOWN LIBRARY SOCIETY, will be holden on TUESDAY the 18th Day of JANUARY, 1773, in the LIBRARY-ROOM, in UNION-STREET, where all the Members of the said SOCIETY, are desired to attend at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon of the said Day.
By Order of the President,
JOHN COLCOCK, Secretary.

To be SOLD,
A healthy young WENCH,
Who is a tolerable Seamstress, can Wash, Iron and Cook, and do any Thing about a House. Apply to
MOSES MITCHELL.

To be hired out by the Month or Year,
TWO WENCHES,
One of them a very good Cook, Washer and Ironer. Apply to
MARK MORRIS.

WANTED, on INTEREST,
One Thousand Pounds Currency,
For which undeniable Security will be given.—Apply at the Printing-Office on the Bay, near the Exchange.

WANTED immediately,
An OVERSEER,
On a Plantation, where Brick-making is carried on, about Twenty-two Miles from CHARLES-TOWN.
SAMUEL PROLEAU.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.
Charles-Town, Dec. 24, 1772.
Pursuant to a Decree of the Hon. the Court of Chancery, will be sold, for ready Money, at public Vendue, on TUESDAY the 26th of January next, at 11 o'Clock at Noon, before the Master of the said Court, at his House in Tradd-Street,

ALL that Piece or Parcel of LAND, situate, lying, and being near Hampstead, in St. Philip's Parish, in the Province aforesaid; containing four Acres and an Half and three Perches.—On the Front Part whereof is a very good Two-story Brick House, with a Kitchen, and a large Stable:—Lately belonging to JOHN KELLY, deceased, and now in the Occupation of DENNIS EGAN.
WILLIAM BURROWS, Master in Chancery.

To be SOLD,
At the Plantation of Mr. Andrew Cunningham, at Poppon, On TUESDAY the 12th of JANUARY next, ALL the Share and Interest of the Estate of the late *Messrs Darquier*, deceased, in the Crop of Rice, Provisions, &c. made this Year on the said Plantation, in Proportion to the Number of Negroes belonging to the said Estate, employed with those of the said *Andrew Cunningham*. The Rice it is computed, will produce between One Hundred and Fifty, and Two Hundred Barrels; and some is already beat out and ready for Market.—Further Particulars will be made known at the Sale.

At the same Time and Place will be sold,
Two old NEGROES, and some Plantation Tools, the Property of the said Deceased, and sold under Execution, by
ROGER PINCKNEY, late Pro. Mar.

To be SOLD by private Contract,
A valuable PLANTATION,
Of between Two and Three Hundred Acres:

THE Distance from Charles-Town by Land and Water the same, seventeen Miles: The Land exceeding good for Indigo, and some Rice Land, unenclosed; very convenient for making Bricks, and a Store and Tavern.—Any Person willing to purchase, may apply to Mr. THOMAS HANCOMBE, at Wallace's Bridge, or in Charles-Town, to the Subscriber.
JACOB VALK.

Who has also several Tracts of LAND, and NEGROES, to dispose of; and is much in Want of small and large Sums of MONEY at Interest, upon the best Security, at an Expence to the Lender; and as to the Sales, will always make it his particular Study, to make the Terms as agreeable to the Purchaser as possible.

STRAYED or STOLEN,
From CHARLES-TOWN, on or about the 6th of Dec. Instant, A black MARE, About thirteen Hands and an Half high, her off hind Foot white, a Star in her Forehead, and trots, branded on the right Buttock X; on the mounting Shoulder 3 C, and on the mounting Buttock RP.—Whoever delivers the said Mare to me at STRAWBERRY Ferry, shall receive FIVE POUNDS Currency Reward.
NICHOLAS PARKINSON.

RUN AWAY
From the SUBSCRIBER, about four Months ago, A NEGRO FELLOW, named PRINCE, Country born, about five Feet seven Inches high, branded on the Breast W, joining; and is supposed to be harboured at Woffamfaw, or gone towards North-Carolina.—He formerly was the Property of WILLIAM BROWN.—Whoever delivers him to me at the Round O (Newbury, on Poole) shall receive a Reward of FIFTY POUNDS, from
ROBERT BROWN.

Rugeley's & Chateris
Acquaint their Friends, that they have removed to a House a little without the Gate, late Mr. Lowndes's,
Where a large Assortment of Goods,
Proper for the Back-Country Trade, is laid in;
AND the BACK-SETTLERS may depend upon the Business being conducted there in the most equitable Manner, and the **BEST PRICES** will be given for all Kinds of **COUNTRY PRODUCE.**
 Any Orders from their Customers in Town, sent either to their Ware-House a little without the Gate, or to a Store (N^o. 12.) which they have on *Chambers's Wharf*, or left at the Scale-House on the said Wharf, will be executed immediately (as they keep a Dray constantly going to and from Town) on their usual low Terms.

OLIVER CROMWELL,
Has received by the AMITY, Captain ASH, from LONDON,
A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT
O F
FASHIONABLE Broad Cloths,
Bath Coatings; Silk and Worsted Breeches Patterns of all Colours; Cotton Velvets; Scarlet and green Hair-flag; Shammy Leather for Linings, and Trimmings suitable to the above.
 He hopes those whose Accounts have been standing two and three Years, will look on this as a sufficient Notice to make immediate Payment, as no other will be given.

JACOB VALK,
Hereby acquaints the Public in general, and his Friends in particular,
THAT at his **OFFICE** Merchants and Tradesmen, may have their Books regulated by the Month, Quarter, or Year, and as often as needful, balanced and closed.
Likewise, Sets of Books opened properly, for Persons newly commencing any Kind of Business, and superintended with the utmost Care.—Also, Accounts relating to Partnerships, Planters, Executors, Administrators, Assignees, &c. completely scrutinized, and accurately adjusted.
And, Persons desirous of settling their yearly Business expeditiously, by sending the Books to the Subscriber's Office, may have it done; the different Accounts drawn out, and the Monies collected, or otherwise settled, in the most suitable Manner.

Lands, Houses, and Negroes,
 Bought and sold at private Sale, upon the usual Commissions.
Money borrowed and lent at Interest,
 Without Expence to the LENDER, who will be entitled to Interest for his Money, from the Day he gives Notice to the Subscriber, of having it to LET; and, such as desire it, may have their Interest applied for as it becomes due, without any Expence.
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W A N T E D,
 To be delivered at any convenient Landing in the Country, or at the Subscriber's NEW-WHARF, on SOUTH-BAY,
FIVE Hundred Cords of Pine Wood;
Two Thousand large Hickory Posts;
And Five Thousand split Rails, for Fencing.
 Any Person inclinable to supply the above, may apply to **WILLIAM GIBBES.**
 The said WHARF, is now fit to receive Wood, Lumber, or any Kind of Goods.

To be L E T T,
A convenient Brick BACK-STORE,
 From which there is a wide Passage into *Bedon's Alley.*
 Enquire of **Philip Hawkins.**

THE Subscriber, acquaints the Public in general, that he has removed his RUM, WINE, &c. from the Cellar which he lately occupied at Mr. WARDON's, in **BROAD-STREET**, into the North-West Corner Cellar under the **EXCHANGE**, and will be much obliged to his Friends for a further Continuance of their Favours.
DAVID BATY.
 Who will engage to store Indico, or any other valuable Goods, during the Winter Season, where they will be secure from Fire, and other Accidents, which too frequently happen.

CHARLES-TOWN, December 15, 1772.
WHEREAS the Subscriber is under the Necessity of leaving the Province for a few Months, during the ensuing Summer, and being desirous of settling all his Affairs before he departs, he desires all Persons indebted to him, either by Bond, Note, or open Account, to pay the same by the **Fifteenth Day of MARCH** next;—as every Debt due him at that Time, not settled to his Satisfaction, will be put into the Hands of an Attorney at Law, to be sued for, without further Notice.
EDWARD BLAKE.

To be SOLD by private Contract,
And may be taken into Possession immediately.
That valuable PLANTATION,
 Late the Property of Colonel **GEORGE PAWLEY**, Junior, on *Warramona*, situated on the Sea-Shore; containing Four Hundred and Seventy Acres, One Hundred and Fifty of which is as choice Indico Land as any in this Province; and about Fifty Acres suitable for Rice. The Remainder of the Tract is well supplied with a Variety of good Timber, very convenient to the Plantation. Upon the Place are a good Two-story Dwelling-House, and other necessary Out-Buildings, together with a large Garden, Orchard, &c.—Likewise, Two new Sets of Indico-Vats, and Timber prepared on the Place sufficient to erect a Pump-Machine, and another Set of Vats.
 Any Person inclinable to purchase, may apply in *Charles-Town*, to Mr. **HUGH SWINTON**, or in my Absence, to Col. **PAWLEY**, at present on said Plantation.
DALZIEL HUNTER.

CHARLES-TOWN, December 1, 1772.
An A N C A D E M Y,
FOR THE
EDUCATION of YOUTH,
WILL be opened in this Place by the Subscriber, on **MONDAY** the 4th of **JANUARY**, 1773, which he will do his utmost to render extensively useful.
 In this **ACADEMY** it is proposed to train young Gentlemen to a thorough Acquaintance with the **LATIN** and **GREEK** LANGUAGES; and to such a Knowledge of the Antiquities, Mythology, and Geography of *Greece*, as will assist them greatly to relish the Spirit and Beauties of the ancient Writers.
 In Addition to a critical Knowledge of the said Languages, it is proposed to teach the Youth a Grammatical Use of their own.
 Pains will be taken to form them early for **PUBLIC SPEAKING.** Admired Passages will, for this Purpose, be selected from the greatest Masters in Eloquence; which they will be taught to pronounce, Memoriter, with Gracefulness and Energy.
WRITING and **ARITHMETIC** will be taught carefully.—The **USE** of the **GLOBES** EXPLAINED; and the Youth prepared, by a suitable Knowledge of **GEOGRAPHY** and **CHRONOLOGY**, to read History with Profit and Pleasure.
 To excite and keep alive a Spirit of Emulation in the **ACADEMY**, it will be regularly visited every Quarter by a Number of Gentlemen, who have engaged to give their Attendance at the Examination of the Scholars. On these Occasions, such as excel, and have got the Start of their Fellows, by a laudable Application, will be signalized by suitable Marks of Distinction; while the Idle and the Indolent must suffer the Mortification of seeing themselves passed by without Notice.
 Those who are disposed to forward the Undertaking, may call upon the Subscriber at the House of **JOHN EDWARDS**, Esq; where they may be made acquainted with the Terms of **ENTRANCE** and **TUITION**; and for their Satisfaction, as to his Abilities, and past Conduct as a **TEACHER**, may see his *Credentials* from the **TRUSTEES** of **NEW-JERSEY-COLLEGE**, after eight Years spent in their Service.
JAMES THOMSON.

N. B. A poor LAD, about twelve Years old, of good Character and Capacity, who will make the Fire, and do other small Services of the like Nature, shall be educated carefully for his Pains.

The S U B S C R I B E R,
HAVING been some Months in the Comptroller's Office at the **CUSTOM-HOUSE**, **CHARLES-TOWN**, and having many Times heard the Merchants complain of the great Loss of Time and Trouble they are at, in making out **MANIFESTS**, and going through the necessary Offices with the Captains, to **ENTER** and **CLEAR** VESSELS, offers his Service to the Merchants and Masters of Vessels, to make out the **MANIFESTS**, and go with the Captains through all the said Offices—and give every other Advice and Assistance relating to the Business of the **CUSTOM-HOUSE**, &c. that may be necessary, on very moderate Terms. Having acted as a **BROKER** at the *Custom-House*, &c. in *London*, for some Years, he makes no Doubt of giving general Satisfaction to every Person who will favour him with their Commands.
 He is to be spoke with every Day at the Comptroller's Office from *Ten to One* (Sundays and Holidays excepted) and at his House in **ELLIOTT-STREET** at all other Times, where Letters and Messages will be carefully attended to.
THOMAS SMITH.

A Valuable **PLANTATION**, in *St. Bartholomew's Parish*, containing Five Hundred Acres, great Part of which is exceeding good Rice Land, equal to any in the Neighbourhood; it joins Lands of Mr. *Andrew Cunningham*, Mr. *Isaac Haynes*, and Mr. *Robert Ross*, is pleasantly and conveniently situated, being only One Mile from the Church, and Five from *Jacksonborough*, *Pompos*: On the Premises are a good Dwelling-House, new Barn, and Store-House, with all other Conveniences necessary for a well-settled Plantation. A long Credit will be given to the Purchaser, paying Interest, and giving Security, if required.—Any Person inclinable to treat for the same, may apply to Mr. *Jacob Valk*, in *Charles-Town*, or on the Plantation, to the Subscriber.
RICHARD WAYNE.
N. B. The Purchaser may be accommodated with Sixty or Seventy Head of tame Cattle; also, Corn, and Seed Rice, for the ensuing Year.
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WHEREAS some wicked Persons, do frequently take the Handles and Bolts from the Pumps, fixed to the Wells in the Streets of *Charles-Town*, whereby the said Pumps are rendered useless, to the great Prejudice of the Inhabitants; to prevent which, and for bringing the Offenders to Justice, the Commissioners of the Streets, do hereby promise a Reward of *Thirty-five Pounds* current Money, to any Person, who will inform them of such Offenders. To be paid on their Conviction.

For SALE, by private Contract,
Sundry large and valuable Lots of Land,
in HARLESTON.
 The Situation of which is well known to be as pleasant and airy as any in *CHARLES-TOWN*. Apply to **EDWARD HARLESTON**, **JOHN HARLESTON**, **ISAAC HARLESTON**, or **THOMAS CORBETT.**

For S A L E,
A HOUSE and LOT, in *George-Street*, *Ansonborough*, Forty-one Feet wide, and Two Hundred and Forty-two Feet deep, with every necessary Out-Building for a genteel Family, and a Well of exceeding good Water.—Any Person inclinable to purchase, may apply, in *Union-Street*, to **JOHN MATTHEWS.**
 Where the **SHOE-MAKING BUSINESS** is carried on as usual, and **DRAWING BOOT-LEGS**, of the best Quality, always ready.
N. B. He desires those whose Accounts have been long standing, to discharge them immediately.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of *William Williams*, deceased, are desired to make Payment, on or before the **First of February**, 1773;—and all to whom the said Estate is indebted, are requested to bring in their Accounts, properly attested, on or before the said Day, to
MARY WILLIAMS, Administratrix.

On Thursday the 31st of December Inst.
Will be SOLD at public Vendue,
At the usual Place in CHARLES-TOWN,
A valuable Sloop, called the Montego-Bay,
 Together with her Sails, Tackle, Furniture, and Apparel; Now lying at *Roswand's Wharf*: Late the Property of **DAVID MORGAN**, and sold under Attachment, by Order of the Court of *Commons*:—*Plas*, by
ROGER PINCKNEY, S. & T. D.

To be Sold, at public Vendue,
On TUESDAY the 2d Day of February next,
at the usual Place in CHARLES-TOWN,
(For the Benefit of WILLIAM YEAMANS's Creditors,)
A VALUABLE PLANTATION,
 or Tract of Land, late the Property of said *William Yeamans*, on the *Cypress Swamp*, containing Three Hundred and Seventy-six Acres (old Measure):—One Half of which is prime Rice Land; butting and bounding at the Time of the Grant, to the East and North-East on *Captain William Saunders's* Land; to the North-west on *Major Tobias Fitch's* Land; to the West on *Mr. Wilson Saunders's* Land; and to the South on Land formerly belonging to *Mr. John Brown*.
 The Plat and Grant may be seen in the Hands of **JOHN LLOYD**, and satisfactory Titles will be made, by
LUKE STOUTENBURGH,
Assignee to WILLIAM YEAMANS.

To be Sold by private Contract,
Eight as valuable BOAT NEGROES,
 As any in the Province,
 Two of whom are Patroons, who are well acquainted with most of the Rivers and Creeks to the Northward and Southward, being used to them for upwards of Twelve Years.—Their Honesty and Care with Respect to the Rice that they may be entrusted with, can be answered for. They would answer extremely well for a Country Gentleman who has Boats of his own.
 The Purchaser, by giving Bond, with approved Security, and Interest from the Day of Sale, may have what Credit he pleases. Apply to **WILLIAM ROBERTS.**

NOTICE is hereby given,
TO the Owners of **LAND** on the *Cypress Swamp*, That they are assisted, for defraying the Expence of draining the same, agreeable to the Assentment made:—And, as the Money will be wanted by the **First Day of February**, 1773, to enable the Commissioners to comply with their Engagement to the Undertakers thereof;—they are therefore required, to pay the said Assentment to either of the Commissioners, on or before that Day, otherwise Executions will be granted against all Defaulters.
DAVID OLIPHANT,
JAMES SANDERS,
RICHARD WALTER,
BENJAMIN WARING,
RICHARD SALTUS,
WILLIAM SANDERS,
JOHN JOOR,
SAMUEL HAMLIN, and
ARCHAR WARING,
 Commissioners.

To be S O L D,
On THURSDAY the seventh Day of JANUARY, 1773, at *RANTOWLE's Bridge*, **STONO**, if a fair Day (if not) the next fair Day following,
Three N E G R O E S,
 Belonging to the Estate of **ROBERT LADSON**, deceased.
 One of them is a good Cook, and can wash and iron very well, and has been used to attend in the House.—A Fellow, who is as good a Field-Negro as any in the Province; and a handy Girl, fit to wait and attend in a House. The Conditions of the Sale are, Three Months Credit, paying Interest, and giving Security.—The Sale to begin at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon.
ALL those that have any Demands against the Estate, are desired, for the last Time, to deliver them in, properly attested, on or before the above Day, for unless they are sent in by that Time, they will not receive any Payment;—and those that are indebted to the said Estate, are requested to call and make Payment.
ABRAHAM LADSON,
Acting Executor.

R U N A W A Y,
The Tenth of this Instant DECEMBER,
A Country-born tall, slim Negro Wench,
 Named **CATHARINA**, about Twenty-seven Years of Age, very plausible and sensible, a good Seamstress and House-Wench; is much pitted with the small-Pox, and carried away with her a Mustee Child (her Daughter) about Six Years old.—As the said Father, (named **ROBBIN**, belonging to Col. *Beale*) a Mother (a Free Wench) named **LETTICE**, in *Charles-Town*, and Sisters, with other Relations, in the Province of *GEORGIA* (belonging to the Hon. *James Habersham*, Esq;) it is probable she may be harboured by some or other of them.—Whoever will deliver her to the Subscriber, or to the Warden of the Work-House, in *Charles-Town*, shall receive a Reward of **TEN POUNDS**, with all reasonable Charges:—And a Reward of **TWENTY POUNDS**, will be given on Information of her being harboured by Slaves, and ONE HUNDRED POUNDS, if by white Persons or Free Negroes.—The Reward to be paid on Conviction of the Offenders, by
JAMES AKIN.
 December 22, 1772.

CHARLES-TOWN, DECEMBER 1, 1772.
AGREEABLE to the Directions of an Act of the General Assembly of this Province, intitled, "An ACT, to regulate the PRICE and ASSIZE of BREAD:"
I HAVE enquired the Price of **FLOUR**, and find that imported from the Northern Colonies, to be at **SIX POUNDS** and **FIFTEEN SHILLINGS** per Hundred lb. Weight, and *Carolina Flour* at **FOUR POUNDS** and **FIFTEEN SHILLINGS** (being both used by the Bakers); at which Price the **HALY CROWN** Loaves must weigh as follows:

OF NORTHWARD Flour.				OF CAROLINA Flour.			
lb.	oz.	dr.		lb.	oz.	dr.	
WHITE,	1	10	3	WHITE,	2	5	0
WHEATEN,	3	7	12	WHEATEN,	3	3	0
HOUSEHOLD,	3	5	0	HOUSEHOLD,	4	4	0

 Of which all Bakers of Bread are required to take due Notice.
GEORGE SHEED, Commissary-General.

SUPPLEMENT to the South-Carolina GAZETTE.

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THURSDAY,

DECEMBER 24, 1772.

CHARLES-TOWN: Printed by T. POWELL & Co. at the Printing-Office near the EXCHANGE.

From a late PHILADELPHIA Paper.

To the PRINTER,

SIR,

Having been honoured with several correspondents of late, I shall select the two following letters for the entertainment of your readers.

Mr. SENEX,

SHOULD be glad to know by what lines of beauty the present mode of dress is regulated. It seems to me as if the Belles were all monitors and the *Beaux* caricatures. You must know I have been absent from the city a full twelve-month, and the day after my return was surprised with a phenomenon I could not at first account for. It is my misfortune to be near-sighted, and objects at a little distance appear to me very confused and undetermined.

I thought I saw in one of our streets a small haycock, lightly covered with snow: Looking more steadily, I perceived it moved towards me; nor was it till after a near approach, that I discovered a lady fastened to the bottom of an unweildy mass of powdered hair. On expressing my surprise and astonishment I was told this was the *fashion*, and therefore must be right.

Fashion is to be sure a forcible apology for any absurdity in dress; but they carry the matter too far who make it an excuse for inverting the order of nature. The hair appears to be intended as an ornament to the face; and a very beautiful one it is, when properly disposed; but now the face seems only to be added as a trifling ornament to the hair, and might be entirely omitted but that the aspiring fabric must have some foundation. When a fashionable lady first presents herself, the eye of a beholder cannot fix itself upon a set of features, though beautiful and expressive, but is necessarily forced to climb the wearisome height of a moving model of the Peak of Teneriffe.

Before I left town, I was more than half in love with a young lady of an agreeable character and a pleasing form; but since my return I have found her so metamorphosed, so horribly disfigured, that I have no inclination to indulge my passion, and am very glad I had not proceeded so far as to declare myself to her.

I have, however, not the least objection to assuring you that I am, Yours, &c.

P. S. I cannot sufficiently admire the wisdom and politeness of our legislature, who certainly foresaw the present fashion, and ordered the high posts and water-spouts to be taken down, lest they should incommode the ladies.—Equal honour is likewise due to the ingenious artist, who raised that lofty arch over the passage leading into the ground designed for our public walks. Much have the most-sighted critics censured this piece of architecture, without considering that the builder had respect to what he foresaw would, ere long, become entirely necessary for the admission of a fashionable lady. It will, indeed, be requisite to alter all the rules and proportions of architecture, if the present head-dresses should continue, and restore the ancient Gothic stile in our private and public buildings.

Dear old Man,

FOR that I am told is the meaning of your edifying Latin name—I am certainly the most mortified daniel in the world, and am determined to make my complaint to you.

You must know I am a young lady of a slender fortune; but have always made what is called a genteel appearance, and kept the most fashionable company. You know, Mr. Senex, the present mode of dressing the head.—Tongue cannot tell the pains I have been at in keeping up to the fashion; and though I have naturally but little hair, yet by incredible toil, and many artifices, I robe by degrees, till I get within an inch of being the greatest lady in town. You may be sure I was pleased with my rank, and happy in finding my industry rewarded with success. When I was in the midst of all my satisfaction, there comes from the country a strapping gipsy; not only in the height of the fashion as to her head, but raised aloft upon a pair of enormous high-heeled shoes. If you'll believe me, Mr. Senex, I appeared a mere cypher along side of her. The creature looks as if she was mounted upon two of her mother's butter-prints.

Perhaps you will say, why should I thus vex you? Cannot you get a pair of shoes of the same fashion? True, Mr. Senex; but the misfortune is, that I am fully troubled with corns, and should never be able to walk in them. Therefore, dear old man, say something about high-heeled shoes in your next paper, and run them down as much as you can. The fashion is but beginning, and may perhaps be laid aside upon your remonstrance. In hopes of this, I am,

Yours, &c.

SYLVIA.

It would be very absurd in an old man like me, to urge his opinion of the present taste in dress. The ladies would care very little for what I think either of their heads or their heels. I shall therefore content myself with a few general remarks on the subject.

A moderate conformity to the reigning mode of dress, is not only allowable but requisite; in as much as it avoids singularity, which is generally founded in pride. But an excessive fondness for *fashion*, and an undue attention to external ornaments, is a folly that well deserves a severe censure. Little more than cleanliness and decency is sufficient to set off the body to its utmost advantage; but the soul requires numberless graces and virtues to bring it to its highest perfection. Much time, therefore, wasted in decorations of the person, is an injury done to the mind; as the one cannot be benefited by it, and the other really stands in need of much cultivation and many accomplishments; for the due attainment of which, life itself is, perhaps, too short. If the fair sex are thought worthy of blame for their extravagancies in dress, what shall we say to our young gentlemen in their *Macaroni* coats, hats and shoes. Even cowardice itself is less contemptible in a man, than an over-fondness for his own person, and a great attention to dress.

Let us compare, in idea, one of the orators or heroes of ancient Rome, in all the dignity of manhood, commanding attention in the Senate, or terror in the field of battle, with one of our modern *Macaronis*, and we should be apt to conclude that they were not of the same species. I doubt whether a *Roman* would not have thought it less painful to suffer death, than to be exposed to the multitude in his ridiculous dress of a modern beau.

When a man hath so far cultivated his mind, by study and close application, as to admit of no further improvement, by

may, if he please, throw away some of his time on the decorations of his person; but, till then, dress should only be considered as it respects decency, convenience, and propriety of fashion.

SENEX.

Brailsford and Muncreef, WILL DISPOSE OF THEIR STOCK of GOODS on Hand On the following TERMS:

Any Person taking to the Amount of One Thousand Pounds Currency, at EIGHT and an HALF for ONE, Three Months Credit; all Sums under, at NINE for ONE.

Amongst a Variety of Articles are the following, viz.

LIGHT blue and black PADUSOY; Crinoline figured Satin; Crow coloured Mantua; a Variety of striped Mantuas and Lustrings; white flowered Lustring; Cambricks, and Lawns; Irish and Sheetting Linen; Cotton Counterpanes; Bed-Bunts, and Flannel Bed-Ticks; Scotch Plaid; black and crimson Hair-Shag; Claret coloured *Manchey* Velvet; figured Dimity; Satin striped Burdets; 3-4 and 10-4 Huckaback; brown Holland; Sagathies; Duroys, &c.—*Russia* Diaper; striped Cotton Holland; Thread and Blaud Lace; *Hanover* Ditto; *Prussian* Binding, and broad Gold Lace; Thread of all Sorts; *English* and *India* Perfumery; white *Sarinet*; Napkining and Clouting Diaper and Damask; Diaper and Damask Table-Cloths; Men, Women, Boys, and Girls Cotton and Thread Hosiery; Men and Women Worked Ditto—A Variety of Cotton Checks; from 6s. 3d. to 12s. 6d. per Yard; blue and white, and red and white Furniture Checks; black Serge de Nimes; Cambricks, and Calamancoes; *India* Calicoes; *India* and *English* Chints; a Chintz Pattern for a Bed-Cover; Silk and Linen Pocket-Handkerchiefs; coarse Handkerchiefs, and Cotton Romals; check and Osaburgs Shirts; Men, Women, Boys, and Girls Leather Gloves; Women's black Silk Ditto; Cravat, Jacket, and Book-Muslins; scarlet Whitney; superfine Broad-Cloths, with Shawls to match; Gold and Silver Basket Buttons; *Perjices* Linen; Garlix and Dowlas; Japan Waiters and Baskets; Women's black Capuchins and Cardinals; Women's coloured Satin Ditto, with trimmed Hats; Men and Boys Callor and Beaver Hats; a Variety of Ribbands; black Pepper; Allspice; Bohea, Souchong, and Hyson Tea; *Spanish* Brown and white Lead; Window-Glass; Osaburgs; white and green Plains; Ironmongery, &c. &c.

N. B. Good Bills of Exchange on London or Bristol, will be accepted in Payment.

FURT IMPORTED, In the last Vessels from LONDON and BRISTOL, A FEW HANDSOME Italian Riding Chaises and Chairs, CHAIR HARNESSSES, And excellent PORT WINE in Hampers, By ROBERTS & TAYLOR.

JOSHUA LOCKWOOD, IS NOW SELLING OFF A Consignment of GLASS WARE,

Consisting of the following Articles, and sold for little more than Cost and Charges, viz.

FRENCH and Prussian Decanters, curiously ground and engraved; Tumblers, Cans and Mugs; Wine Glasses, Salts and Basins; Oil Glasses; Bowls and Milk Pots; Vinegar Glasses, Mustard Pots, and Wash-Hand Glasses. The above Articles consist of all Sorts and Sizes of the newest Fashions, as well plain as ground and engraved; the Double Flint he sells at Seven Shillings and Six-pence per Pound, by the Twenty Pounds Weight, and Eight Shillings by the single Article; and those that take a Hoghead, shall have it at Cost and Charges, which will not come to above Six Shillings the Pound, the first Cost being only Five Shillings and Three-pence; the ground and engraved Work is proportionably cheap.

For LONDON, THE SHIP CAROLINA, Benjamin Loxley, Master.

(To sail about the FIRST of JANUARY.) HAS good Part of her Cargo engaged.—For Freight of the Remainder, or Passage (having excellent Accommodations) apply to said Master on board, at *Rosmond's* Wharf.

For LONDON, THE SHIP NEW-MARKET, Gilbert Wilson, Master.

(Will sail by the 15th of January next.) FOR Freight of Indico, Deer-Skins, &c. agree with said Master, or WILLIAM WILSON.

TAKEN AWAY, By a NEGRO, some Time in JUNE last,

ACHESNUT GELDING, About fourteen Hands and an Half high, branded on the mounting Shoulder LM: Whoever delivers him to Mr. CROUGHTON, in Charles-Town, or to me at WALLACE'S BRIDGE, shall receive TWENTY POUNDS Reward, and all reasonable Charges.

THOMAS HARCOMBE.

WILLIAM HULME HAS FOR SALE,

At his Store, SIX Doors NORTH of the EXCHANGE, The FOLLOWING GOODS; Which he will sell VERY CHEAP, especially for CASH, or SHORT CREDIT.

STOCK Locks, Pad Locks, Cross-cut, Hand and Whip Saws; Gimblets, Sets of Fire-Shovels and Tonges, Grid-Irons, Iron Dripping-Pans, of different Sizes; long and short-handled Frying-Pans; Anchors and Grapnels; Saddle and Pump Tacks, 4d. 6d. 1s. 10d. and 20d. Nails; Drawing and Spike Ditto, Sad Irons, Quert Stones, Iron Pots, Bigs, Cap, Cartridge, Sheetting and Writing-Paper; Saltpetre, Sail, Seine, and Whipping Twine; *Wilson's* Fowling-Pieces, *London* proved; Hangers; Sealing-Wax and Wafers; Mens white and brown Thread and Worsted Hosiery; Women's Ditto; Ditto Cotton and Thread Mitts; black, blue, green, and crimson Breeches Patterns; China Cups and Saucers, Wine Glasses, Tumblers and Decanters; Cotton and Wool Cards; *Rippon* Anafles, and Hunters Half-carb Briddles; Mens and Boys Saddles; Twist Webb; Broad Cloth, Shalloon; Shot and Bar Lead; Pepper; Mens and Boys Felt Hats; Women's fur-red Ditto; flat and Soup Plates and Dishes; *Harley's* Playing Cards; Sagathies, Serge-De-Nimes; Women's black and coloured Calamanco Shoes; plain and figured Ribbands; Osaburgs, 9-4 white and brown Sheetting Linen; 7-4 and Yards-wide Irish Ditto; 11 Nail, 7-4, and 3-4 Checks; brown, blue, and white Jeans; blue and white Thickets, Fustians, 3-4 and 7-4 Garlix, Buckrams, Huckabacks, Princes Linens; *London* Quality Tapes and Incles; Nutmegs, Cloves, and Mace; fine and coarse Threads; *Russia* Drab, striped Lawns, plain Gauze, Cambricks, *Perjices*, Toffies;—A Variety of Handkerchiefs, of different Patterns; Diaper Table-Cloths; red Trunks; in Nets; *Batemans* Drops, *Squire's* Elixir, the best *British* Oil, *Gadrey's* Cordial, &c. &c.—Gown Patterns, black *Alamode* Hats and Bonnets; green Ditto; Silk and scarlet Cloaks, Shirt Buttons, black Lace, Fingee, and Small, Sewing Silk and Twist, Mohair, Runners, Knee-Garters; white Lead, *Spanish* Brown, yellow Oak, ground in Oil; Vermillion, Paint Brushes, knit and milled Caps, and Worsted Gloves; Quare Black-Jacks; Shoe and Knee-Buckles, of different Patterns; Brass Jewa Harps, Women's Scullars, common Steel Spurs, Spring Ditto, Penknives, Knives and Forks, Spectacles, &c. striped and white Flannels, Hair Sieve Bottoms, with Reems and Hoops; Pewter Plates and Dishes; Ditto Tankards; Linseed Oil in Jugs, Florence Ditto, in Flasks;—An Assortment of Delft and Stone Ware; Sail Cloth, Half Hunter Whips, Twigs Ditto, Gun-Powder, *Bohea* Tea, &c. with many other Articles, too tedious to mention.

N. B. RUM, WINE, &c. on reasonable Terms, as usual.

A FEW BUSHEL OF

Guatemala INDICO SEED, To be SOLD CHEAP.

A QUARTERLY MEETING OF THE SOUTH-CAROLINA SOCIETY,

WILL BE HELD On TUESDAY the 5th Day of January next, At the House of Mrs. Catherine Pinckitt, in Charles-Town; where all the Members are desired to attend at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon. By Order of the Society, SAMUEL PRIOLEAU, Clerk.

SHAD WINDSOR, HAVING the Use of Mr. WALTON's ACADEMY, intends to instruct the Youth of both Sexes, every EVENING from Six to Eight o'Clock, in READING, WRITING, and ARITHMETIC.—He does not design to increase the Number of his Scholars to more than *Sixteen*, and there will be no Regard paid to the usual Vacations of Christmas, Easter, and Whitsuntide Holidays.

At STOTT's Manchester Ware-House in Bedon's Alley,

Just arrived in the *PALLAS*, Capt. BAILEY, from LONDON, AN ASSORTMENT of broad and narrow Yorkshire Cloths and Duffels; Shalloon, striped and plain Cambricks; Men and Women's Worked and Yarn Hosiery and Caps; black Silk Breeches Pieces, of an extra Quality; black, blue, green, scarlet and crimson Worsted Ditto; Mens fine knit ribbed Silk, Thread, and Worsted Hosiery;—a large Assortment of Manchester Cottons; Irish Linens, Cambricks and Lawns, Scarlet Cloaks and Cardinals; white and dyed *Russia* Drabs; white and coloured Plains; *London* and *Bristol* Duffels, striped Linseys and Swanstons;—a few Pieces of superfine Cloth and Casimirs; Mens fashionable Hats, &c. with all Kinds of Manchester Goods—which will be sold on their usual low Terms.

At STOTT's Manchester Ware-House, In BEDON'S-ALLEY,

A few Bales of white PLAINS, Bought for Cash, and sold 14, 15, and 16d. to be sold at Eight and an Half for One.

N. B. A large Assortment of CUTLERY and HARD-WARE, just arrived in the *Carolina* Packet, Captain WHITE.

WANTED, TWO OVERSEERS, for Rice Plantations; if one of them is a married Man, and the other single, will be preferred.—None need apply without sufficient Recommendations.—For Particulars, apply to me at *Stones*. FREDERICK GRIMKE.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

By His Excellency the Right Honourable Lord CHARLES GREVILLE MONTAGU, Captain-General, Governor, and Commander in Chief, in and over the said Province, and Vice-Admiral of the same.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, by the Continuation the of Boundary Line between this Province and North-Carolina, which has lately been run, in Pursuance of His Majesty's INSTRUCTIONS to the Governors of both Provinces, several Plantations which have been settled by Virtue of Grants from the Governor of North-Carolina, fall within this Government. IN ORDER to preserve to the Proprietors of such Grants, the equitable Right they have to the Lands mentioned therein, I DO, by the Advice of His Majesty's Council, issue this my Proclamation; HEREBY STRICTLY FORBIDDING all the Deputy-Surveyors of this Province, from laying any Warran on Lands for which Grants have been obtained in North-Carolina: AND notifying to all Persons possessed of, or intitled unto, such Grants, that they may have Grants for the same from this Government, on their producing such Grants, without their personal Attendance at Charles-Town, provided Application is made for the same within Twelve Months from the Date hereof.

GIVEN under my Hand, and the Great Seal of the said Province, at Charles-Town, this Nineteenth Day of June Anno Domini 1772, and in the Twelfth Year of His Majesty's Reign.

Charles-Greville Montagu.

By His Excellency's Command,
THOMAS SCOTTOWE, Secretary.

SOUTH-CAROLINA, CAMDEN District.

WHEREAS at a Court of General Sessions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, Assize and General Goal Delivery, for the District aforesaid, begun and holden at Camden, on THURSDAY the 5th Day of November, 1772,

WILLIAM MCKENMIE, DAVID WILSON,
Being duly summoned and returned to serve as GRAND-JURORS, And,

JOHN DAVIS, RICHARD TOMLINSON,
WILLIAM GRIMES, HERMAN KINSLAW,
WILLIAM CLAND, THOMAS WRIGHT,
ABRAHAM PEOPLES, BENJAMIN COOK,
RICHARD CROSTIE, GLASS CASTON,
as PETIT-JURORS, made Default, and were noted for Non-Appearance:

Notice is hereby given,

That the former will be fined in the Sum of Ten Pounds, Proclamation-Money, of America; and the latter in the Sum of Five Pounds, like Money, each, unless they shall respectively, make good and sufficient Excuses, upon Oath, for their Non-Attendance, and transmit the same to the Crown-Office, in Charles-Town, by the 15th Day of March next.

James Johnston, C. C. & P.

SOUTH-CAROLINA, CHERRAW District.

WHEREAS at a Court of General Sessions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, Assize and General Goal Delivery, for the District aforesaid, begun and holden at the Long-Bluff, Cheraw, on MONDAY the 16th Day of November, 1772,

BENJAMIN JACKSON, ZACHARIAH NETTLES,
Being duly summoned and returned to serve as GRAND-JURORS, And,

WILLIAM EDWARDS, JOHN AIKIN,
ALEXANDER GORDON, JOSHUA HICEMAN,
BENJAMIN HUDSON, ABRAHAM JORDAN,
as PETIT-JURORS, made Default, and were noted for Non-Appearance:

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James Johnston, C. C. & P.

SOUTH-CAROLINA, GEORGE-TOWN District.

WHEREAS at a Court of General Sessions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, Assize and General Goal Delivery, for the District aforesaid, begun and holden at George-Town, on THURSDAY the 26th Day of November, 1772,

ALEXANDER TWEED, ISAAC JURDIN,
Being duly summoned and returned to serve as GRAND-JURORS, And,

JAMES SNOW, JOHN DANFORD,
WILLIAM PAWLEY, ARCHIBALD McDONALD,
as PETIT-JURORS, made Default, and were noted for Non-Appearance:

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James Johnston, C. C. & P.

WANTED,

To attend in the Subscriber's STORE, A sober, honest, and industrious MAN. To whom good Wages will be given. Apply to JOHN BENFIELD.

To be SOLD at public Vendue,

At the Pandoo-House in CHARLES-TOWN,

On TUESDAY the 19th Day of JANUARY next,

WARHOUSE PLANTATION,

Belonging to JAMES TAYLOR, Esq; at Calaneres, in St. Paul's Parish, containing Twelve Hundred Acres of very good Land for Rice, Indico, &c. Enquire of

BENJAMIN SMITH, Goose-Creek.

THOMAS SMITH, Charles-Town.

EDUCATION.

FRENCH ACADEMY.

LEWIS-LESTARJETTE,

MASTER OF LANGUAGES from PARIS,

Begs Leave to inform the PUBLIC,

That he intends OPENING a regular FRENCH SCHOOL,

WHERE Gentlemen and Ladies will be taught that elegant Language with Accuracy and Assiduity, in the most concise Method.

He also intends keeping an EVENING-SCHOOL, from Six to Eight o'Clock, for the Accommodation of those to whom it may be inconvenient to attend in the Day-Time.

Particular Days and Hours will be appropriated to the Purpose of giving PRIVATE INSTRUCTION to any Gentlemen or Ladies who may chuse to be attended at their own Houses.

Upon Application made to him at Captain Cox's in Trade-Street, he will inform any Lady or Gentleman of his Terms of Teaching, and shew them the Recommendations he has received to many Gentlemen in this Province, from whom every satisfactory Information may be obtained, relative to his Character and Abilities.

DOWNES & LEE

Have imported, in the Ship LONDON, Captain ALEXANDER CURLING, from LONDON,

CHASED, Gold, capt, and jewelled

Watches—plain Gold Ditto—Silver Watches, capt and jewelled—Ditto not capt—Watches, with gilt Pinchbeck Cases, Ditto with Cases covered in Tortoise-shell, Dog-skin, Shagreen and Nouris Skin—Gold, Silver, and Steel Watch Chains—Eight-Day Clocks in Mahogany Cases—Table Spring Clocks, and Eight Day Alarms—almost every new Pattern of Silver Shoes, Knee, and Stock Buckles—very neat pierced Salts, at £. 33 the double Pair—pierced Bottle-Stands and Castors—Silver Coffee-Pots, Tankards, and Waiters—Swords and Counters-de-Chasse, said to be the neatest ever seen in America—An elegant Choice of Paste Shoe-Buckles, of all Prices—Ditto Knee and Stock-Buckles—Paste Necklaces, Ear-Rings, and Hair-Pins, Diamond and Garnet Hoop-Rings—spare Diamonds of different Prices—Gold and Silver Seals in all Fancies—green and Silver-handle Knives and Forks—Mahogany and covered Knife-Cases—Toasting-Forks, Scissors, and Pen-Knives—Guns and Powder-Horns—A complete Assortment of Etwee Pocket-Books—Reading and Burning Glasses—Silver and Steel Temple Spectacles of all Prices—and many other Articles, to be sold at their Shop, the Corner of Broad-Street, on the lowest Terms.

JOHN BENFIELD,

At his Store in ELLIOTT-STREET, opposite to Gadfield's-Alley,

Has for SALE, at the very lowest Prices,

Rum of all Sorts, and by any Quantity.

Madera, Port, and Vidonia WINES,

By the Dozen, Gallon, or otherwise.

Vinegar, Cherry-Bounce, and sundry other Liquors.

Leaf, Pigtail, and Oronoko Tobacco.

KEGS of WATER-BREAD,

Lately imported from PHILADELPHIA, in the CHARLES-TOWN PACKET, Captain WRIGHT.

Loaf and Muscovado Sugars, Teas, Coffee, Chocolate, Currants, and Raisins,

With most other Articles usually imported by Grocers in England,

Which he will sell Wholesale or Retail in the smallest Quantities.

He has also to sell, for CASH ONLY,

Myrtle-Wax and Tallow mould and dipt Candles,

And SOAP.

N. B. READY MONEY, and the highest Price, given for rough and rendered Tallow, Myrtle-Wax, and good Candle-Wick.

JAMES WILSON,

At his Store and Wine-Cellar on the BAY,

Has the following ARTICLES to dispose of,

For CASH or SHORT CREDIT,

On the most reasonable Terms, VIZ.

MADERA WINE

Of the different Qualities—some four Years old.

OLD PORT WINE,

Of an extra Quality, bottled in London, and just arrived in the Britannia, Captain Ball.

Lisbon—Frontinac—Claret—old Hock,

And a few Dozens of choice

Old MOUNTAIN WINE.

Old Jamaica, West-India, and Northward Rum,

By the Hoghead, Quarter-Cask, or Three Gallons.

Old Brandy, Arrack, Gin, in Casks and Cases.

LONDON PORTER in Bottles.

Taunton Ale and Small-Beer.

Cyder, Bristol Beer, and English Vinegar.

BARBADOS preserved GINGER,

AND

Some Cafes of Pickles, fit for private Families.

On THURSDAY the 4th of FEBRUARY next,

Will be SOLD by public Outcry,

At the usual Place in CHARLES-TOWN,

A very valuable PLANTATION,

About twenty Miles from Charles-Town, in St. James, Goose-Creek, containing 290 Acres, 200 Acres of which is exceeding fine Rice Land, (that has not been planted these seven Years past) the Remainder very good Corn and Indico Land; it joins Lands of John Deas, Esq; Estate of Mr. George Norman, Col. Singleton, and Dr. Caw. On the Premises are a good Dwelling-House, Kitchen, Overseer's House, &c. One Year's Credit will be given, paying Interest and giving approved Security.—Any Person inclinable to purchase, may see the Titles, by applying to ARCHIBALD BROWN.

Philadelphia HAMS,

To be SOLD

By FENWICK BULL,

Who has for SALE,

TRAIN Oil, Molasses, Tallow, and

Boxes of Tallow Candles for Ships Use.

The best of Wines, Brandy, Arrack, Cherry Rum, Jamaica Spirits, Cordials, Coffee, Chocolate, Water Bread, &c. &c. for Gentlemen on Parties of Pleasure, or on Sea Voyages, and on as LOW TERMS as any Store in the Province.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

DECEMBER the 1st, 1772.

By Order of His Excellency the GOVERNOR,

Notice is hereby given

TO all Persons having any Demands against the PUBLIC, to deliver in their Accounts, properly attested, on or before the First Day of January next, HENRY PERONNEAU, } Joint-Public-
BENJAMIN DART, } Treasurers.

BRIAN CAPE,

HAS IMPORTED,

In the INDUSTRY, Capt. JAMES FURZE, from BRISTOL,

BRISTOL Loaf Sugar, Fowling Pieces,

Window Glass, short and long Tobacco Pipes; split Peas, and Vinegar in Jugs; Stone Jugs, Iron Pots, Shot, Indian Corn Mills; a Variety of Queen and stone Ware; Wine and Jelly Glasses, Tumblers, Quart and Pint Decanters, Iron Tea-Kettles, &c. &c. which will be sold on low Terms, at his Store on the Bay.

He has to dispose of,

A valuable Consignment of the most fashionable Ribbands and Collars, such as are now wore in London, sent him by a Manufacturer, in Coventry; which are charged on as low Terms as any ever imported into this Province; and will be sold at Eight for One, on the prime Coll, and Three Months Credit, when the Value of Ten Pounds Sterling, or upwards is taken, and at Seven for One, CASH—which is much cheaper than they can be imported from London; besides, the Advantage that Purchasers will have in making Choice of such as will suit their Customers Fancy.

He has also on Hand,

A large Stock of Bridport and London Canvas, of different Sorts, which he will sell very low, particularly for ready Money; or he will dispose of the above Ribbands and Canvas, in Barter for other Goods.

DAWSON & WALTER

Have just imported, by the MERMAID, Captain BALL, and the AMITY, Captain ASH, from LONDON,

A large and general Supply of Goods,

For the present and Winter Season:

This, with their late Importations from BRISTOL, furnishes their STORES, both in TOWN and COUNTRY, with

Very complete ASSORTMENTS,

Which they are determined to sell reasonable:

AMONG THEM ARE,

MOST Kinds of Ironmongery and Plantation TOOLS.

SILK MERCERY, A large and valuable Assortment of the newest Fashions, say about Forty Pieces; Satins, Brocades, flowered and Tobine Lustings, &c. &c. which will be sold very CHEAP.

LINEN DRAPERY, A good Assortment; among which are, New Copper-Plate Bed-Furniture, Prints of most Kinds; cheap Irish Linens; Lawns; Cambricks; Muslins, striped and plain, &c. &c.

WOOLLEN DRAPERY, A large Assortment of new fashioned superfine Broad-Cloths; also coarse Cloths, Bath Coatings, &c.—Cossies for Chair Linings, green and blue, with Bindings, Nails, &c.

A large Assortment in Cutlery, Haberdashery, Hosiery, Saddlery, Ribbands, Glass, China, and Grocery—in the last is a Chest of fine Hyson Tea, Raisins, Currants, and Almonds, &c. &c.

Also, Some elegant Stove-Grates, complete; Wilton Carpets; Olives; Pickles; Spermaceti Candles; fashionable Gold and Silver Buttons; split Pease, &c. &c.

Also, Five Hundred Pair of Negro Shoes.

The SUBSCRIBER

Has imported in the last SHIPS from LONDON,

A Great Variety of the very best superfine Broad-Cloths, of the newest Colours; Cassimirs; Bath Coating, with suitable Trimmings; Gold and Silver spangled Buttons, of the newest Fashion; Silk and Worsted Pieces; embroidered Shapes for Waistcoats, of an elegant and substantial Quality; Plush and coarse Cloths for Liveries.

Gentlemen may be supplied on the shortest Notice, and may depend on having the best Materials, and on the most reasonable Terms, as all his Goods are bought with ready Money, which enables him to furnish his Friends better than any other Person in Town, and without troubling them with different Bills.

JOHN WARD, TAYLOR.

Very great Encouragement will be given to two Journeymen Taylors.

To be disposed of at private Sale,

THE PLANTATION whereon the

Subscriber now lives, at PONPON, in St. PAUL'S Parish, containing one Thousand Acres; one Hundred and Sixty of which is River Swamp, and one Hundred and Sixty of back Swamp, the Rest good High Land, and well stocked with Timber, and inferior to none in the said Parish, being but three Quarters of a Mile from the Landing on the said Place. The above is so well known, that it needs no Recommendation.

Also, Another TRACT of Four Hundred and Thirty-three Acres, situated on PONPON River; two Hundred of which is River Swamp.—For further Particulars, apply at PONPON, to JOSEPH BEE.